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**Thirty-Second Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, April 13, 2006

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock A.M., by Hon. Donald E. Hines, President of the Senate.

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Duplessis	Lentini
Amedee	Dupre	Marionneaux
Bajoie	Ellington	Michot
Barham	Fontenot	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Quinn
Broome	Gautreaux N	Romero
Chaisson	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Cheek	Jackson	Theunissen
Cravins	Jones	Uilo
Dardenne	Kostelka	

Total - 29

ABSENT

Adley	Malone	Schedler
Cain	McPherson	Smith
Fields	Mount	
Hollis	Nevers	

Total - 10

The President of the Senate announced there were 29 Senators present and a quorum.

Prayer

The prayer was offered by Senator Broome, following which the Senate joined in pledging allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Senator Broome, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of yesterday was adopted.

Morning Hour

**Privilege Report of the
Legislative Bureau**

April 13, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the following report:

The following bills are approved as to construction and duplication.

HOUSE BILL NO. 533—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RITCHIE AND SENATOR NEVERS
AN ACT

To authorize the secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to rename the correctional facility located at Angie, Louisiana, as the Rayburn Correctional Center; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 781—

BY REPRESENTATIVES PINAC, BARROW, BRUCE, BURRELL, CROWE, DEWITT, DOERGE, FRITH, HAMMETT, LAFONTA, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, SALTER, TRAHAN, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, AND WHITE AND SENATORS HINES AND MOUNT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 34:1122(B)(3), relative to expenses of the Pilotage Fee Commission; to clarify that fees and rates for pilotage services include expenses of the Pilotage Fee Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR J. "ART" LENTINI
Chairman

Adoption of Legislative Bureau Report

On motion of Senator Lentini, the Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and passed to a third reading.

**Introduction of Senate Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and referring them to committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 655—

BY SENATORS ADLEY, KOSTELKA AND QUINN AND REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL, BEARD, CRANE, DAMICO, DEWITT, FRITH, GEYMAN, HAMMETT, KATZ, LANCASTER, MARTINY, PIERRE, PITRE, T. POWELL, SCALISE AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30: 82(6), 89.1 and 2015.1(B), (C)(1), (2), and (4), (D), (E)(1), (F)(2), (H), (I), and (K) and to enact R.S. 30:29 and 2015.1(L), relative to remediation; to provide relative to remediation of certain sites by the Department of Natural Resources; to provide relative to the remediation of oil and gas and other sites; to provide terms, conditions, procedures, requirements, definitions, and standards; to provide relative to duties and responsibilities of certain agencies; to provide relative to certain actions or claims involving environmental damage; to provide relative to parties, proceedings, orders, judgments, and awards by the court; to provide relative to remediation and cleanup arising from such actions or claims; to provide relative to oilfield sites and exploration and production sites; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

April 11, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HOUSE BILL NO. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BAYLOR, BURNS, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DORSEY, DOVE, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FRITH, GEYMAN, GLOVER, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOPKINS, HUTTER, JACKSON, JOHNS, LABRUZZO, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(S), relative to parole; to provide with respect to parole of sex offenders in certain cases; to provide for the approval of a residence plan of sex offenders prior to the granting of parole; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WALKER AND KATZ

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:454.15 and 824(A), R.S. 40:1300.51(2)(b), (3), and (5), 2006(A)(2)(k), (B)(2)(d), and (E)(2)(j), 2007.1(A)(1)(j), 2116(G) and (J)(1), 2120.4(B)(10)(c), 2180(2), 2180.1(introductory paragraph), and 2180.4(B), and R.S. 46:2622(6) and 2625(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (b), relative to intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded; to change the name of intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded to intermediate care facilities for people with developmental disabilities; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153— (Substitute for House Bill No. 549 by Representative Hopkins)

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS, CAZAYOUX, AND WADDELL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:102.21, relative to offenses affecting public sensibility; to create the crime of harboring or concealing an animal which has bitten or inflicted serious bodily injury to a human; to provide for penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 293—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, E. GUILLORY, KATZ, MCDONALD, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURNS, CAZAYOUX, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DURAND, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GRAY, M. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, JACKSON, KENNEY, LABRUZZO, MARTINY, MONTGOMERY, PIERRE, PITRE, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.1(A)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.1(A)(5), relative to genetic testing for newborns; to add to the tests required to be performed on newborns; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 572—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRAVINS, GEYMAN, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CURTIS, DARTEZ, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWN, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HONEY, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LANCASTER, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TRAHAN, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR CHAISSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.1(D)(2) and R.S. 15:542.1(D), (H)(2), and (M), to enact R.S. 15:541(3.1), 542.1(H)(3)(c), and Chapter 3-D of Title 15 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 15:560 through 560.4, and to

repeal R.S. 15:542.1(B), relative to sex offenders; to provide for the creation of the Sex Offender Assessment Panel; to provide for its membership and duties; to provide for its applicability; to provide with respect to determinations made by such panels; to provide with respect to registration and notification of sex offenders; to provide with respect to monitoring of sex offenders; to repeal the provisions with regard to the sexually violent predator commission; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 652—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON, BURNS, DOERGE, DURAND, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HUTTER, JACKSON, KATZ, LABRUZZO, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, WADDELL, ANSARDI, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAYLOR, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWN, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, KENNEY, KLECKLEY, LAFLEUR, MCDONALD, MORRELL, ODINET, PIERRE, PITRE, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, TRAHAN, TRICHE, WALKER, WHITE, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 607(A) and (B), 1016(A) and (B), 1404(14) and R.S. 15:151.2(B), R.S. 28:2(13), and R.S. 46:460.21(A) and to enact Chapter 5 of Title V of the Louisiana Children's Code, to be comprised of Articles 551 through 560, and R.S. 15:151.2(J), relative to the welfare of children; to provide for access to children and communication in legal representation of children cases; to provide for the purpose and establishment of the Child Advocacy Program; to provide for the organization and board of trustees for the Child Advocacy Program; to provide for a child's right to appointed counsel in child in need of care proceedings; to provide for the right to counsel in termination proceedings; to provide for definitions in mental health proceedings for children; to provide for the powers and duties of the Indigent Defense Assistance Board; to provide for definitions in the mental health law; to provide for legal fees and expenses through the Department of Social Services, office of community services; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 882—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRAVINS, BALDONE, BRUCE, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, LAFLEUR, MARTINY, JANE SMITH, WHITE, WOOTON, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BARROW, BAYLOR, BEARD, R. CARTER, CURTIS, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWN, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFONTA, LANCASTER, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MORRELL, ODINET, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALKER, AND WALSWORTH

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To enact R.S. 14:91.2, relative to offenses affecting general morality; to create the crime of unlawful residence or presence of a sex offender; to provide for penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on First Reading

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions were read a first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE BILL NO. 171—

BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BAYLOR, BURNS, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DORSEY, DOVE, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FRITH, GEYMAN, GLOVER, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HOPKINS, HUTTER, JACKSON, JOHNS, LABRUZZO, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY,

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The bill was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE BILL NO. 256—

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AN ACT

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The bill was read by title; lies over under the rules.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 13, 2006

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93— BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State Police, Department of Public Safety and Corrections' Casino Gaming Division, Operations Unit, for its exemplary work in combating dog fighting in our state.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and celebrate the accomplishments of Ben Morgan of the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 21 of the First Baptist Church of Moss Bluff, on the memorable and historic occasion of his attainment of the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95— BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and celebrate the accomplishments of Nick Calderera of the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 21 of the First Baptist Church of Moss Bluff, on the memorable and historic occasion of his attainment of the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96— BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of William Alexander Porteous III of New Orleans.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97— BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER AND SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Larry Sayes upon being named 2006 Louisiana Farmer of the Year.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98— BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dottie Bell upon her retirement from the Caddo Parish School System on May 25, 2006, and to recognize her upon the final celebration of the annual Louisiana Career Festival.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99— BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND THOMPSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to designate a portion of Interstate Highway 20 in Ouachita and Richland parishes as the Purple Heart Recipients Highway.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Senator N. Gautreaux in the Chair

House Concurrent Resolutions

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Concurrent Resolutions just received from the House which were taken up, read a first and second time by their titles and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93— BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State Police, Department of Public Safety and Corrections' Casino Gaming Division, Operations Unit, for its exemplary work in combating dog fighting in our state.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Chaisson moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, YEA names (Dupre, Ellington, Fontenot, etc.), and NAY names (Kostelka, Lentini, Marionneau, etc.).

Total - 24

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: ABSENT names (Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, etc.), Fields, and Nevers.

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94— BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend and celebrate the accomplishments of Ben Morgan of the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 21 of the First Baptist Church of Moss Bluff, on the memorable and historic occasion of his attainment of the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 95— BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMAN

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To commend and celebrate the accomplishments of Nick Calderera of the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 21 of the First Baptist Church of Moss Bluff, on the memorable and historic occasion of his attainment of the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96— BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of William Alexander Porteous III of New Orleans.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Murray moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, YEA names (Dupre, Ellington, Fontenot, etc.), and NAY names (Kostelka, Lentini, Marionneau, etc.).

Duplessis	Jones	Ullo
Total - 24	NAYS	
Total - 0	ABSENT	
Adley	Fields	Nevers
Amedee	Hollis	Romero
Bajoie	Malone	Schedler
Cain	McPherson	Shepherd
Cravins	Mount	Smith
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 97—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER AND SENATOR HINES
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Larry Sayes upon being named 2006 Louisiana Farmer of the Year.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Kostelka
Barham	Ellington	Lentini
Boasso	Fontenot	Marionneaux
Broome	Gautreaux B	Michot
Chaisson	Gautreaux N	Murray
Cheek	Heitmeier	Quinn
Dardenne	Jackson	Theunissen
Duplessis	Jones	Ullo
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NAYS

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Total - 15		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98—
 BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dottie Bell upon her retirement from the Caddo Parish School System on May 25, 2006, and to recognize her upon the final celebration of the annual Louisiana Career Festival.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Cheek moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Kostelka
Barham	Ellington	Lentini

Boasso	Fontenot	Marionneaux
Broome	Gautreaux B	Michot
Chaisson	Gautreaux N	Murray
Cheek	Heitmeier	Quinn
Dardenne	Jackson	Theunissen
Duplessis	Jones	Ullo
Total - 24		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Fields	Nevers
Amedee	Hollis	Romero
Bajoie	Malone	Schedler
Cain	McPherson	Shepherd
Cravins	Mount	Smith
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD AND THOMPSON
 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to designate a portion of Interstate Highway 20 in Ouachita and Richland parishes as the Purple Heart Recipients Highway.

The resolution was read by title; lies over under the rules.

Mr. President in the Chair

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions were read by title and referred to committees as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES MCDONALD, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BRUCE, BURNS, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CRAVINS, CROWE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, GEYMAN, GREENE, JOHNS, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LAFLEUR, MARTINY, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, PINAC, T. POWELL, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, TOOMY, TRICHE, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS BARHAM AND CAIN
 AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:43.1(C), 43.2(C), 43.3(C) and 78.1(D) and to enact R.S. 14:81.2(E), relative to certain offenses involving juveniles; to increase criminal penalties for certain offenses involving persons under the age of thirteen years; to provide relative to the electronic monitoring of offenders; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—
 BY REPRESENTATIVES DORSEY, BALDONE, BRUCE, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CRAVINS, LAFLEUR, AND WHITE
 AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:551, relative to the sexual offender law; to create the crime of harboring or concealing a sexual offender, sexually violent predator, or child predator; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 80—
BY REPRESENTATIVES KLECKLEY AND TRICHE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:544, relative to sex offender registration; to provide that the duty to register and provide notice for conviction of a sex offense extends for ten years following release from incarceration for any offense; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 147—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:255(E)(1), (2), and (3), relative to witness fees for off-duty law enforcement officers; to provide for the payment of witness fees for off-duty law enforcement officers appearing in mayor's courts; to provide for a maximum amount that may be assessed in an individual case; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 164—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:574.12(A), (B), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E)(introductory paragraph), and (H), relative to the confidentiality of information regarding offenders and ex-offenders; to provide that information obtained by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, youth services, is confidential; to authorize the deputy secretary of youth services to approve the reading of confidential information in certain circumstances; to provide for rulemaking authority; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 167—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.8(A), relative to salary adjustments for certain persons holding credentials issued by the National Board for Certified Counselors; to provide conditions for receiving the adjustment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 175—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.6(C), relative to salary adjustments for certain persons holding certificates issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards; to provide conditions for receiving the adjustment; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 210—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BADON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:421.9(G), relative to salary adjustments for certain school psychologists holding a specified credential issued by the National School Psychology Certification Board; to provide conditions for receiving the adjustment; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 302—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, R. CARTER, DOERGE, DURAND, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HUTTER, JACKSON, KATZ, LABRUZZO, MCDONALD, JOHN SMITH, WADDELL, AND WINSTON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 37:761.1 and 795(B)(1)(l), relative to the dental practice act; to provide for the procedures and requirements to obtain a retired volunteer dental license; to provide for fees and costs; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 317—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2106(C), relative to the clerks of court in St. Tammany Parish; to specify some organizations to whom the clerk of the city court of Slidell shall remit funds collected to provide shelter for battered and homeless women and their children; to specify the organizations to whom the clerk of the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court in St. Tammany Parish shall remit funds collected to provide shelter for battered and homeless women and their children; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Finance.

HOUSE BILL NO. 355—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TRICHE, DOERGE, AND DURAND AND SENATOR LENTINI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.15(C), relative to child support enforcement; to grant limited administrative authority to access certain information; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 378—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MARTINY AND DORSEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:570(D)(2), relative to executions; to provide for victim witnesses to an execution under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 380—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:833 and to enact R.S. 15:833.1, relative to the temporary release of inmates; to provide for eligibility for temporary furlough; to provide for the release of inmates for medical care under certain circumstances; to provide for temporary secured release of inmates; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 409—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:543.1, relative to sex offenders; to provide for the dissemination of information to sex offenders regarding protocol to be followed in emergency situations; to provide relative to the promulgation of an administrative rule by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide that the failure of an offender to comply with the emergency protocol provisions is a violation of a condition of parole; to provide for definitions; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 422—
BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY AND ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843, relative to city court jurisdiction; to reorganize and clarify Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

HOUSE BILL NO. 469—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2266.3, relative to criminalistics laboratories; to authorize the criminalistics laboratory operated by the sheriff of St. Tammany Parish to operate as a criminalistics laboratory commission, including the optional collection of costs in criminal cases; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

HOUSE BILL NO. 480—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, KATZ, AND ST. GERMAIN AND
SENATORS JACKSON AND MOUNT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(3) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(f), relative to the Department of Social Services; to provide for re-creation of the Department of Social Services and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 561—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JANE SMITH, ALEXANDER, BADON, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, ERDEY, GEYMAN, GLOVER, JOHNS, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAMBERT, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, PINAC, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, TOOMY, TRAHAN, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WINSTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:81.2(C) and (D)(1) and to repeal R.S. 14:81.2(D)(4), relative to molestation of a juvenile; to provide relative to the criminal penalties for molestation of a juvenile in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 660—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1293(A)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 23:1293(A)(5), relative to records of the Office of Workers' Compensation; to provide for the confidentiality of Second Injury Board documents; to provide for investigatory information; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Floor Amendments Sent Up

Senator Nevers sent up floor amendments which were read.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Conforming Amendments proposed by Senator Nevers to Engrossed House Bill No. 660 by Representative Hunter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, between "of" and "Second" insert "Louisiana Workers' Compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, between "the" and "Second" insert "Louisiana Workers' Compensation"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 21, change "audit or investigation in" to "audit, investigation, or similar activity"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 25, change "Second" to "Louisiana Workers' Compensation Second"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 29 change "Second" to "Workers' Compensation Second"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 1, change "Second" to "Louisiana Workers' Compensation Second"

On motion of Senator Nevers, the amendments were adopted.

Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 5, the amended bill, which is a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 144, was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HOUSE BILL NO. 688—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 42:6.1(A)(9) and to enact R.S. 42:6.1(A)(10), relative to public meetings; to provide for an exception for the Second Injury Board; to permit executive session discussion of the settlement of a workers' compensation disputed claim; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 783—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:6(30), relative to the importation and ownership of certain animals; to require the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to control the importation and ownership of non-indigenous constrictors; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 824—
BY REPRESENTATIVES FRITH, PIERRE, JACK SMITH, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR MALONE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:104(B)(4), 104.1(A), and 116.3(A)(1)(a) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 56:116(B)(3), relative to hunting with bow and arrow; to authorize the use of magnified scopes with crossbows; to authorize the use of a mechanically held bow in certain circumstances; to authorize the use of certain arrow points; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 825—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ST. GERMAIN, DANIEL, LAMBERT, PIERRE, AND JACK SMITH AND SENATOR MCPHERSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:6.1 and to repeal R.S. 56:317, relative to emergency season closures for hunting and fishing; to authorize the emergency closure of hunting or fishing seasons

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by the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 828—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CAZAYOUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(A)(1) and (4), (B)(1)(a), (C), and (F) and 542.1(C)(1), (2), and (5), (I)(1) and (2), (J)(1), and (K)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 15:541(21) and 542(G), relative to the registration of sex offenders; to require the registration of all residences; to define residence; to provide for community notification; to provide a notification procedure when the offender no longer resides with a person; to provide for notification of change of address; to make it a crime to fail to annually update registration and provide proof of address and community notification; to require notice of certain duties to the offender; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary C.

HOUSE BILL NO. 833—
BY REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE, BURNS, DARTEZ, DORSEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, GREENE, HEBERT, LABRUZZO, M. POWELL, SMILEY, AND WHITE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:151(A) and 153(A) and to enact R.S. 49:151(C), relative to the state flag and seal; to provide for the description of the state bird on the state flag; to provide for three drops of blood to be included in the description of the pelican tearing at its breast to feed its young; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 837—
BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH, ALARIO, K. CARTER, DANIEL, DEWITT, DORSEY, HAMMETT, JEFFERSON, PIERRE, RITCHIE, RICHMOND, AND SALTER AND SENATORS HEITMEIER, HINES, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MOUNT, AND NEVERS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:2(D), relative to the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to authorize the chairman of the commission to cancel meetings under certain circumstances; to provide for actions by the secretary; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 866—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:1002(J), relative to drug testing; to provide for changes in references from the National Institute on Drug Abuse to Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration; to provide for the application of the Chapter; to provide for the use of certified laboratories for drug testing of samples collected; to amend provisions relative to drug testing procedures and standards; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 886—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:901, relative to the exchange of school lands; to authorize the Concordia Parish School Board to exchange certain school lands, including but not limited to sixteenth section lands, indemnity for school lands, or other immovable property; to provide procedures for such exchange; to provide for the land description; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL NO. 903—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WINSTON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2160(D), relative to licensing of adult residential care homes; to establish criminal penalties for operating an adult residential care home without a license; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**House Concurrent Resolutions
on Second Reading**

The following House Concurrent Resolutions were read and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 88—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to consider alternatives to housing displaced residents in trailers.

The resolution was read by title. Senator N. Gautreaux moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Lentini
Amedee	Dupre	Marionneaux
Bajoie	Ellington	Michot
Barham	Fontenot	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Quinn
Broome	Gautreaux N	Theunissen
Chaisson	Heitmeier	Ullo
Cheek	Jackson	
Dardenne	Jones	
Total - 25		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adeley	Kostelka	Romero
Cain	Malone	Schedler
Cravins	McPherson	Shepherd
Fields	Mount	Smith
Hollis	Nevers	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 89—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ODINET
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the governor and the office of facility planning and control of the division of administration to work with the Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors and the LSU Health Sciences Center to develop and implement a plan to use a portion of the Medical Center of New Orleans (Big Charity Hospital) to provide medical services to the New Orleans community and region on an interim basis while efforts continue towards construction of a new facility.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Kostelka
Amedee	Dupre	Lentini
Bajoie	Ellington	Marionneaux
Barham	Fontenot	Michot
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Murray
Broome	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Chaisson	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Cheek	Jackson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Total - 27		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Hollis	Nevers
Cain	Malone	Romero
Cravins	McPherson	Schedler
Fields	Mount	Smith
Total - 12		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 90—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Social Security Administration to accept a notarized document to suffice as independent verification for evidence of age.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Hines moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Kostelka
Amedee	Dupre	Lentini
Bajoie	Ellington	Marionneaux
Barham	Fontenot	Michot
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Murray
Broome	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Chaisson	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Cheek	Jackson	Theunissen
Dardenne	Jones	Ullo
Total - 27		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Adley	Hollis	Nevers
Cain	Malone	Romero
Cravins	McPherson	Schedler
Fields	Mount	Smith
Total - 12		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC WORKS

Senator Ellington, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

SENATE BILL NO. 227—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:295.1(C), relative to safety belts; to exempt from the safety belt law certain utility workers in the performance of their duties under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

SENATE BILL NO. 396—
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3452(A)(1)(introductory paragraph), (B), and (C), 3453, 3454, and 3455(A) and to enact R.S. 34:3457.1, relative to the Port Construction and Development Priority Program, to provide relative to the deadline for submission of applications to such program; to provide relative to the review and approval of applications; to authorize reimbursement of funds expended for project construction in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
NOBLE E. ELLINGTON
Chairman

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON

EDUCATION

Senator Ullo, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Education to submit the following report:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—
BY SENATOR DARDENNE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA) to take certain steps to implement an on-line anabolic steroid awareness and prevention program, to require an anabolic steroid nonuse contract and consent form and inclusion of steroid testing on the LHSAA parental permission form as required for athletic participation, and to participate in a study to determine the feasibility of the development of other programs to educate and prevent the use of steroids and performance-enhancing supplements by high school athletes.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 308—
BY SENATOR MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1990(B)(4)(b)(i) and to enact R.S. 17:1990(B)(4)(b)(iv), relative to the Recovery School District; to authorize the school district to sell, exchange, or lease land or buildings over which it has the rights and responsibility of ownership to certain entities; to provide with regard to the nature of such property transfer; to provide with regard to the applicability of certain laws; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 564—
BY SENATOR QUINN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:406.7, relative to parental involvement; to require that the parents or legal guardians of a student participate in parent-teacher conferences; to provide for minimum participation; to provide for notice; to provide for withholding of report cards for failure to participate in parent-teacher conferences; to provide for notice and right of review; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably.

Respectfully submitted,
CHRIS ULLO
Chairman

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
on Second Reading
Reported by Committees

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions reported by Committees were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 9—
BY SENATOR SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(4) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(a), relative to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry; to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development. On motion of Senator Smith, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 27—
BY SENATOR DUPRE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 42(A), and to add Article I, Section 4(G), of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to the taking of property; to provide relative to the compensation paid for certain takings of property; to provide that compensation paid for the taking of, or loss or damage to, property rights affected by hurricane protection and flood control conservation, management, preservation, enhancement, creation, mitigation or restoration activities, and for levees and levee drainage purposes, shall be limited to fair market value and governed by the Fifth Amendment of the United States Constitution; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 27 by Senator Dupre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 4, delete "that" and delete lines 5 through 8 and insert

"relative to compensation paid for the taking of, or loss or damage to, property rights affected by certain hurricane protection or flood control activities, and for levees and levee drainage purposes; to provide that compensation for such takings shall be limited and governed by the Fifth"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 2 through 7 and insert

"(G) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (B), compensation paid for the taking of, or loss or damage to, property rights affected by hurricane protection or flood control activities, including but not limited to levees, canals, water control structures, and mitigation related thereto, shall be limited to and governed by the amount and circumstances required by the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States of America."

On motion of Senator Lentini, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 64—
BY SENATOR DUPRE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:281(3) and (4), and to enact R.S. 38:249 and R.S. 49:213.10(D), relative to the taking of property; to provide relative to hurricane protection and flood control activities, and levees and levee drainage; to provide relative to the taking of property for certain purposes; to provide relative to compensation; to provide relative to determinations and limitations of the amount of compensation; to provide certain conditions, definitions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 64 by Senator Dupre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "**protection**" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17 and insert

"or flood control activities, including but not limited to levees, canals, water control structures, and mitigation related thereto, shall be limited to and governed by the amount and circumstances required by the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States of America."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 6, delete "**fair market value**"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 21, delete "**Pursuant**" and insert "**However, pursuant**"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 23, after "**shall be**" insert "**limited to and**"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, delete lines 1 and 2 and insert

"Constitution, payment for the full extent of the loss shall be limited to and governed by the amount and circumstances required by the"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 11, delete the last word "and" and delete lines 12 through 14 and insert

"or flood control activities, including but not limited to levees, canals, water control structures, and mitigation related thereto, shall be limited to and governed by the amount and"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 20, change "Senate Bill ___" to "Senate Bill No. 27"

On motion of Senator Lentini, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 73—

BY SENATOR LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5108.3(D), relative to the legal representation of state employees; to provide for representation and indemnification of officers and employees charged with contempt of court; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. On motion of Senator Chaisson, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 179—

BY SENATOR MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 505, relative to spousal witness privilege; to provide for an exception to the privilege; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 179 by Senator Mount

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "spouse" insert a comma ",."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 12, after "spouse or" delete "of" and insert "a crime against the person of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 13, after "child" insert a comma "," and delete "or either"

On motion of Senator Chaisson, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 187—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:711(G) and 1135(D), relative to work release programs; to expand eligibility requirements for a certain class of inmates to participate in a work release program; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. On motion of Senator Chaisson, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 283—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:556.12(C), relative to the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board; to remove certain restrictions on use of funds by the board; to provide that funds

can be used for certain purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development. On motion of Senator Smith, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 401—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 926.1(A) and (H), relative to post-conviction relief; to provide for an application for DNA testing; to remove the time period in which an application requesting DNA testing may be filed; to provide for the preservation of evidence known to contain biological material; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary C.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 401 by Senator Jones

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, delete "to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 5 and insert in lieu thereof "and to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 11, after "A.(1)" delete "A" and insert "Prior to August 31, ~~2007~~ **2009**, a"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 14, after "convicted." insert the following:

"On or after August 31, ~~2007~~ **2009**, a petitioner may request DNA testing under the rules for filing an application for post-conviction relief as provided in Article 930.4 or 930.8 of this Code."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 3, change "The" to "After service of the application on the district attorney and the law enforcement agency in possession of the evidence, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 6, after "preserve" insert "until August 31, ~~2007~~ **2009**."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 8, after "that" insert ", as of August 15, 2001,"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 10 through 15 in their entirety

On motion of Senator Chaisson, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 407—

BY SENATOR LENTINI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.15(D)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 27:364(A)(1)(b)(vi), relative to the Department of Social Services; to provide for the authority to seize progressive jackpot winnings in and annuities from individuals in arrearage in child support; to authorize the gaming control board to promulgate rules for the seizure of progressive slot machine jackpots and annuities; to provide, and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Judiciary A.

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 407 by Senator Lentini

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, delete "winnings in and" and on line 6, delete "to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "R.S." insert "46:236.15(D)(1)(a) is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 15, after "parent" delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, delete "parents who received FITAP"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 3, after "agency" insert "or any entity licensed by a state agency or a state authorized board"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the end of line 5, delete "jackpots, including"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 6, after "annuities" insert "beginning with the first annuity payments"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 24 through 29 and insert in lieu thereof: "(vi) A procedure for the withholding of progressive slot machine annuities, of persons who have outstanding child support arrearages or child support overpayments. The board may require any agency reporting current child support arrearages, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete lines 4 through 7 and insert the in lieu thereof: "approved by the board. The board or any entity licensed under Title 27 shall not be liable for withholding any annuities based upon information provided to it. The board shall adopt such rules by"

On motion of Senator Lentini, the committee amendment was adopted. The amended bill was read by title and ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 523—

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:67.16.1, relative to the registration of persons convicted of identity theft; to require registration of persons convicted of identity theft; to provide penalties for violations; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary C. On motion of Senator Chaisson, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 543—

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU

AN ACT

To repeal Civil Code Art. 3496.1, relative to prescription; to repeal liberative prescription for an action against a person for abuse of a minor; and to provide for related matters.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary A. On motion of Senator Lentini, the bill was read by title, ordered engrossed, and passed to a third reading.

Motion to Recommit

Senator Ellington asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules and recommitted Senate Bill No. 132 from the Committee on Education to the Committee on Retirement.

Rules Suspended

Senator Heitmeier asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of recalling House Bill No. 417 from the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 417—

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:2212.2, relative to the demolition of state buildings; to provide for expedited demolition of damaged state buildings in emergency situations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Under the provisions of Joint Rule No. 5, the bill, which is a duplicate of Senate Bill No. 504, was read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Rules Suspended

Senator Ullo asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions a first and second time and referring them to committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 656—

BY SENATOR BOASSO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(d)(iv), relative to public contracts; to increase the contract limit for certain projects to repair hurricane or storm-related damage to public buildings; to provide limitations; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the bill was read by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

Messages from the President

The following messages from the President were received and read as follows:

SENATE

State of Louisiana

April 12, 2006

Honorable Noble Ellington
State Senator
4272 Front Street
Winnsboro, LA 71295

RE: Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay

Dear Senator Ellington:

In accordance with R.S. 24:661, I hereby appoint you to serve on the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay (vice Senator Barham).

April 13, 2006

Thank you for your cooperation and service.

Sincerely,
DONALD E. HINES
President of the Senate

SENATE
State of Louisiana

April 12, 2006

Honorable Jody Amedee
State Senator
2109 South Burnside Avenue, Suite A
Gonzales, LA 70737

RE: Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay

Dear Senator Amedee:

In accordance with R.S. 24:661, I hereby appoint you to serve as the President's appointee on the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay (vice Senator Fontenot).

Thank you for your cooperation and service.

Sincerely,
DONALD E. HINES
President of the Senate

SENATE
State of Louisiana

April 12, 2006

Honorable Donald Cravins
State Senator
200 West Pine Street
Lafayette, LA 70501

RE: Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay

Dear Senator Cravins:

In accordance with R.S. 24:661, I hereby appoint you to serve as the President's appointee on the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay (vice Senator Romero).

Thank you for your cooperation and service.

Sincerely,
DONALD E. HINES
President of the Senate

SENATE
State of Louisiana

April 12, 2006

Honorable Derrick Shepherd
State Senator
2009 Ames Boulevard
Marrero, LA 70072

RE: Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay

Dear Senator Shepherd:

In accordance with R.S. 24:661, I hereby appoint you to serve as the President's appointee on the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay (vice Senator Smith).

Thank you for your cooperation and service.

Sincerely,
DONALD E. HINES
President of the Senate

**Privilege Report of the Committee on
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

ENROLLMENTS

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 13, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to provide a progress report to the Senate and House committees on transportation, highways and public works on the completion of Interstate 49 through St. Mary Parish and the proposed overpass at the intersection of US-90 and LA-318.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26—

BY SENATOR CHEEK AND REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS AND DERDEY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate September 2006 as "Small Business Incubation Month in Louisiana."

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES D. JONES
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

ENROLLMENTS

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

April 13, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3—

BY SENATORS FONTENOT AND CAIN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Holden High School Lady Rockets basketball team for winning the Class B Louisiana State Championship, and to recognize the sportsmanship, outstanding performance, and dedication shown by the players, coaches, and staff during the 2005-2006 season.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

A RESOLUTION

To designate May 2, 2006, as "FFA Day" at the legislature.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To commend and express the gratitude of the members of the Senate of the Louisiana Legislature to the Louisiana State Medical Society and to the East Baton Rouge Parish Medical Society for their valuable services to the members of the legislature and their employees during the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Mrs. Rosetta L. Henderson upon the occasion of her one hundredth birthday.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY SENATORS HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the family of United States Army Staff Sergeant Brian Lewis upon his death in ground combat action during Operation Iraqi Freedom.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY SENATORS MARIONNEAU, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the families of United States Army veterans of the Vietnam War, Major Jack L. Barker, Captain John F. Dugan, Sergeant William E. Dillender, and Private First Class John J. Chubb upon the repatriation of the remains of these brave soldiers who gave their lives 35 years ago in southeast Asia in the fight for freedom and democracy in the Republic of South Vietnam.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATOR MALONE

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Eagle Scout Michael Travis Frederick of Boy Scouts of America Troop 14 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Shreveport on his selection as the 2005 Outstanding Eagle Scout by the Louisiana Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—

BY SENATORS HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Louisiana State University men's basketball team and coaching staff on an outstanding season and for reaching the 2006 National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Final Four in Indianapolis, Indiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Daisy Richardson Ross upon the occasion of her ninetieth birthday celebration on April 20, 2006.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY SENATOR KOSTELKA

A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Lucy Inez "Nana" Vines Spruell.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY SENATORS ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To welcome the delegation of honorable African chiefs from the sovereign Republic of Cameroon upon this historic visit to Louisiana and the United States of America and to commend the humanitarian efforts and good will extended to the people of Louisiana during the crisis of Hurricane Katrina.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To commend Louisiana's Electric Cooperatives for their continued support of the annual Washington D.C. Youth Tour program and designates April 6, 2006, as Louisiana's Electric Cooperatives Washington D.C. Youth Tour Day.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19—

BY SENATORS ROMERO, BROOME, HOLLIS, MICHOT, MURRAY, QUINN, SMITH AND THEUNISSEN

A RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact H.R. 4761, the "Domestic Energy Production through Offshore Exploration and Equitable Treatment of State Holdings Act of 2006."

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY SENATORS JACKSON AND CHEEK

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Mairus T. McFarland on being the first African American Chief Medical Examiner in Caddo Parish.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

A RESOLUTION

To commend and to congratulate Reverend Adrian B. Hall upon his retirement as pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Slidell, Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY SENATOR CHEEK

A RESOLUTION

To commend Summer Grove Baptist Church on its many accomplishments and outreach to all in the community, city, and state.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES D. JONES
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

April 6, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

Journal Clerk

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 57—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Forest Service to continue to allow the training of hunting dogs in the Kisatchie National Forest when hunting seasons are closed between March first and September first each year.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 66—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND SCALISE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Ernest C. Hansen, Sr., longtime proprietor of Sno-Bliz in New Orleans, and to extend posthumous honor to him for his incomparable legacy.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 68—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND SALTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Blaise M. Carriere and to extend enduring appreciation for his outstanding contributions to the city of New Orleans, the city of Baton Rouge, and the state of Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend, recognize, and support the many Hunters for the Hungry and Project Venison programs across the state for their efforts to feed the state's needy.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE K. CARTER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To declare the week of May 1, 2006, through May 7, 2006, to be Cover the Uninsured Week in Louisiana.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

Leaves of Absence

The following leaves of absence were asked for and granted:

Adley	1 Day	Cain	1 Day
Fields	1 Day	Hollis	1 Day
Malone	1 Day	McPherson	1 Day
Mount	1 Day	Nevers	1 Day
Schedler	1 Day	Smith	1 Day

Adjournment

Senator Bajoie moved that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, April 18, 2006, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until 3:00 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, April 18, 2006.

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

GAYE F. HAMILTON

